DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE Security Committee

SECOM-D-018

14 January 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman, SECOM

VIA: Executive Secretary, SECOM

SUBJECT: Treasury Department Polygraph Policy

Attached for your information is a copy of the recently formulated polygraph policy of the Treasury Department. It is noted that the polygraph is to be used only on cases related to the "intelligence elements" of the Department and then only if other means of resolving questionable matters have been exhausted. This policy was established in November 1979.

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	b. Ensure establishment of policies and pro-
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	information and operational details of the most
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	c. Ensure uniform security standards to govern
	access to, distribution of, and protection of intel-
	ligence sources and methods, subject to any specific
	statutory requirements applicable to any department or
	agency.
	Functions: The functions of the Steering GroupTATINTL
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	a. To review, formulate and recommend to the
	DCI, with the advice of NFIB policies, guidelines and
	standard procedures related to the implementation of the
	Special Access Control System.
	b. To develop policy and implement regulations
	pertaining to dissemination, decompartmentation and
	sanitization of material.
	c. To energize, monitor and oversee the con- STATINTL
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d. To formulate, coordinate, maintain and promulgate guidance for use in the administration of at all echelons of department and agency domestic and overseas activity, including consultants and contractor support activity.

- e. To task, guide, assist and monitor the Committee on Imagery Requirements and Exploitation (COMIREX), the SIGINT Committee, the SECURITY Committee and managers of executive agent programs in discharging their charter responsibilities as may be related to the conversion to
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AGENDA
Two Hundred and Twenty Seventh Meeting
Wednesday, January 30, 1980, 10:00 a.m.
Room 7E62, Langley Headquarters Building

Preliminary Comments

- ITEM 1 Approval of Minutes, SECOM-M-228
- ITEM 2 Reports of Subcommittee and Working Group Chairmen
- ITEM 3 Interagency Training Center (ITC) resources (discussion of how ITC needs can and will be met so as to maintain the Community's training capability)
- ITEM 4 Briefing on espionage cases (DIA)
- ITEM 5 Discussion of proposed agenda topics for SECOM seminar in early April
- ITEM 6 New Business
- ITEM 7 Next Meeting